IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS BEAUMONT DIVISION

JERRY NAPPER §

VS. § CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:05cv706

DOUG DRETKE, ET AL

MEMORANDUM ORDER OVERRULING PLAINTIFF'S OBJECTIONS AND ADOPTING THE MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Jerry Napper, an inmate incarcerated within the Texas

Department of Criminal Justice, Correctional Institutions

Division, proceeding pro se, filed this civil rights lawsuit

pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983.

The court ordered that this matter be referred to the Honorable Earl S. Hines, United States Magistrate Judge, at Beaumont, Texas, for consideration pursuant to applicable laws and orders of this court. The magistrate judge has submitted a Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge. The magistrate judge recommends the lawsuit be dismissed without prejudice for failure to exhaust administrative remedies.

The court has received and considered the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge, along with the record, pleadings and all available evidence. Plaintiff filed objections to the magistrate judge's Report and Recommendation.

The court has conducted a *de novo* review of the objections in relation to the pleadings and the applicable law. *See* FED. R. CIV. P. 72(b). After careful consideration, the court concludes that as plaintiff admits he did not exhaust his administrative

remedies before filing this lawsuit, his objections are without merit.

ORDER

Accordingly, plaintiff's objections are **OVERRULED**. The findings of fact and conclusions of law of the magistrate judge are correct and the report of the magistrate judge is **ADOPTED**. A final judgment will be entered dismissing this action.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 10 day of November, 2005.

Ron Clark, United States District Judge

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